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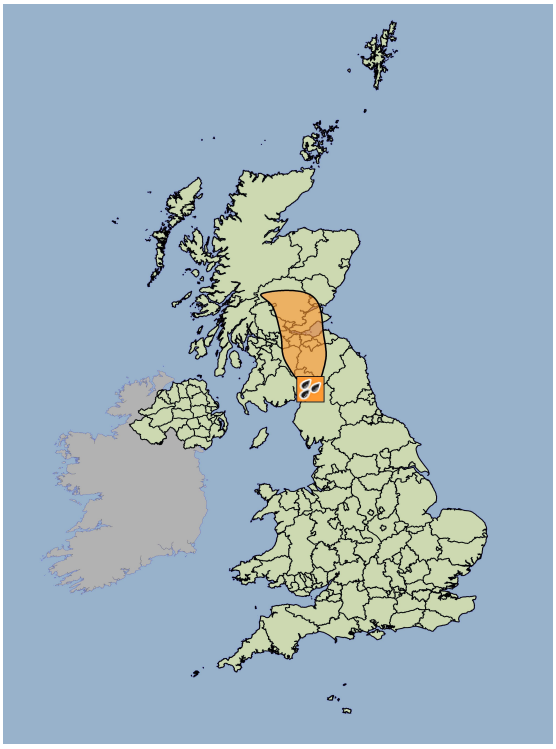

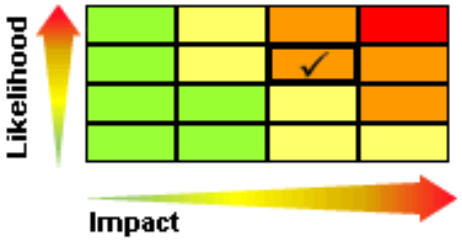

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Thunderstorms moving northwards within the very warm humid airmass have the potential to give 30-50 mm of rain falling in less than 3 hours. Hourly rainfall rates may also exceed 25 mm locally and hail is also possible along with gusty winds. The storms will gradually ease from the south.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **18:00 on Tue, 23rd Jul 2013** until **02:00 on Wed, 24th Jul 2013**

Areas of thunderstorms are moving northwards across the Borders and Edinburgh area into parts of central Scotland will give localised torrential downpours through Tuesday evening and into the early hours of Wednesday.

The public should be prepared for disruption due to localised flooding.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 20:44 on Tue, 23rd Jul 2013

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  - East Lothian
  - Edinburgh
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